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SUBJECT: PORTUGAL OPEN TO AMENDING NSG GUIDELINES
ENRICHMENT AND REPROCESSING TRANSFERS, SUGGESTS EU
CONSULTATION

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Portuguese MFA Deputy Director for Disarmament and Security Joao Lago stressed that Portugal shares U.S. concerns about enrichment and reprocessing (ENR) as outlined in reftel points. He added that Portugal would be willing to support an NSG amendment to the current technology transfer regime and would welcome French leadership on behalf of EU nations within NSG. Portugal takes note of our request and will follow up through both European Union and NSG channels.
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